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November 25, 1985

Mr. Bill Pfister
Regional Water Quality Control Board
3374 East Shields Ave., Rm. 18
Fresno, Ca. 93726

Subject: Aquifer Exemption
Class II Water Disposal
Olcese Formation
Poso Creek
Sec. 29, T.27S., R.27E.

Dear Mr. Pfister:

I recently discussed with Warren Cebel of the Kern County Water Agency, the present and potential water use of the Olcese formation with respect to above subject matter. Mr. Cebel indicated that the RWQCB was probably the most qualified entity for such determination. Per our phone conversation of 10/20/85 I would very much appreciate your comments regarding the Olcese formation current and future use as a source of water (within the area of concern) for a public water system.

I have enclosed some pertinent data regarding the proposed aquifer exemption. Berry Ventures is proposing to inject their produced water (analysis attached) down their "New Hope" #1 well in Poso Creek field, Sec. 29, T.27S., R.27E. They are currently injecting into the Santa Margarita zone and were using Shell California Production Inc. nearby sump. A legal notice (see attached) was placed in the local paper, and appeared August 8, 9, & 10. No public comment on the legal notice has yet to be received.

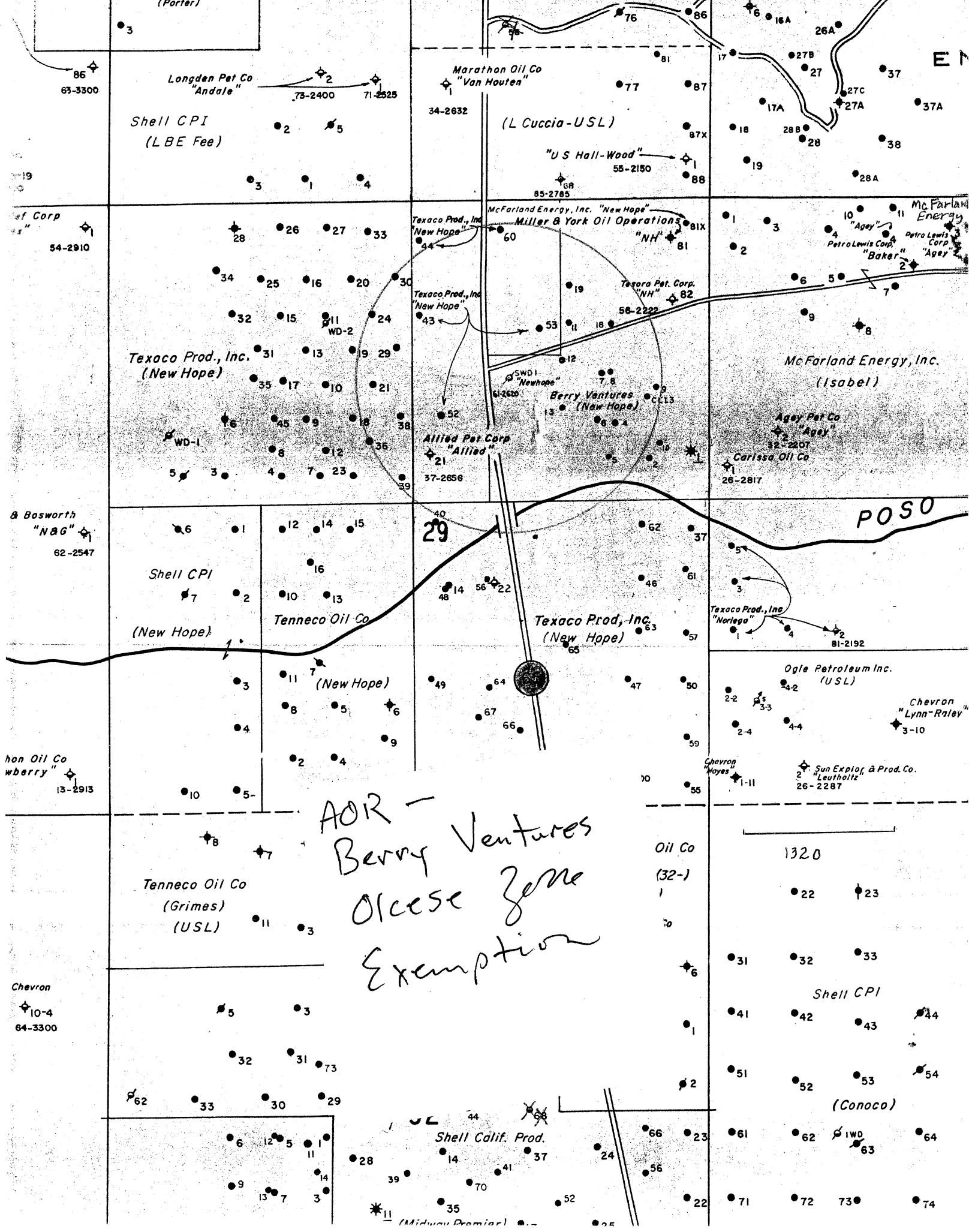
If you have any questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to call me. Thank you for your time and comments concerning this subject.

Yours truly,

David R. Clark
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Attachments



Longden Pet Co
"Andale"
Shell CPI
(LBE Fee)

Marathon Oil Co
"Van Houten"
(L Cuccia-USL)

"U S Hall-Wood"
55-2150

Texaco Prod., Inc.
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Allied Pet Corp
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McFarland Energy, Inc. "New Hope"
Miller & York Oil Operations
"NH"

Tesoro Pet. Corp.
"NH"

Berry Ventures
(New Hope)

McFarland Energy, Inc.
(Isabel)

Ager Pet Co
"Ager"

Carlissa Oil Co

Shell CPI
(New Hope)

Tenneco Oil Co
(New Hope)

Texaco Prod., Inc.
(New Hope)

Texaco Prod., Inc.
"Noriega"

Ogle Petroleum Inc.
(USL)

Chevron
"Lynn-Raley"

Sun Explor & Prod. Co.
"Leutholz"

Tenneco Oil Co
(Grimes)
(USL)

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Berry Ventures
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Shell Calif. Prod.

(Midway Premier)